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THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1883.

SIX DOLLARS PER QUARTER.

## For Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

## CIGARETTES.

"THE WHITE

ELEPHANT."

AMBER TIPPED,

PURE RICE PAPER.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

Hongkong, 4th January, 1883.

## Insurances.

SCOTTISH UNION AND NATIONAL  
INSURANCE COMPANY OF  
EDINBURGH & LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

CAPITAL.....£6,000,000 STERLING.  
INVESTED FUNDS.....£3,000,000.  
ANNUAL INCOME.....£700,000.

The Undersigned have been appointed Agents  
for the above Company and are prepared to  
GRANT FIRE INSURANCES AT CURRENT  
RATES.

HESSE & Co.

Hongkong, 1st January, 1882.

## GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY,  
(LIMITED.)

CAPITAL TAELS 600,000, EQUAL \$833,333.33.  
RESERVE FUND.....\$70,858.27.

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

LEE SING, Esq., LEE YAT LAU, Esq.,  
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MANAGER—HO AMEL.

MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at  
CURRENT RATES to all parts of the world.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST,  
Hongkong, 1st September, 1882.

THE Undersigned have been appointed  
AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD  
OF UNDERWRITERS.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO.  
Hongkong, 15th June, 1881.

RECORD of AMERICAN and FOREIGN  
SHIPPING.

Agents,  
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO.  
Hongkong, 15th June, 1881.

## NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY,  
(LIMITED.)

(CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000.)

The above Company is prepared to accept  
MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS,  
&c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world  
payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN

Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE,

No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST,  
Hongkong, 1st February, 1882.

YANGTSE INSURANCE  
ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up).....Tls. 420,000.00  
PERMANENT RESERVE.....Tls. 230,000.00  
SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....Tls. 290,553.95

TOTAL CAPITAL and  
ACCUMULATIONS, 8th  
May, 1882.....Tls. 940,553.95

## DIRECTORS.

H. DE C. FORBES, Esq., Chairman.  
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Policies granted on MARINE RISKS to all  
parts of the world.

Subject to a charge of 12 per cent. for Interest  
on Shareholders' Capital, all the Profits of the  
Underwriting Business are annually dis-  
tributed among all Contributors of Business (whether  
Shareholders or not) in proportion to the  
premium paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, 13th May, 1882.

J. M. GUEDES.

HOUSE AND LAND BROKER.

AGENT.

No. 33, WELLINGTON STREET, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 23rd January, 1882.

## Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION

OF  
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,  
VALUABLE BOOKS, &c., &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions  
to Sell by Public Auction.

TO-MORROW,

the 5th January, 1883, at Two P.M., at his  
Furniture Sales Rooms, First Floor,  
Peddar's Wharf Buildings,

A QUANTITY OF

ENGLISH AND CANTON MADE

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

comprising:—

CRETONNE-COVERED COUCHES and

EASY CHAIRS, MARBLE-TOP BLACK-

WOOD TABLES, ENGLISH MADE, WRIT-

ING TABLE, BOOK CASES, A Quantity of Very

Valuable, BOOKS, DINING TABLE, SIDE-

BOARD, GLASS, PLATED and CROCKERY

WARE, IRON BEDSTEPS, WARDROBES,

MARBLE-TOP WASHING-STAND.

&c., &c., &c.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

G. R. LAMMERT,  
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, 3rd January, 1883.

PUBLIC AUCTION

OF  
VALUABLE PROPERTY

In Queen's Road Central and Jervois Street.

THE Undersigned has received instructions  
from the MORTGAGEE to Sell by Public

Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 6th day of January, 1883, at 2 P.M.,

on the Premises

All that Piece or Parcel of GROUND Registered

in the Land Office as the Remaining Portion

of Section D of INLAND LOT No. 202,

measuring on the North side on Jervois

Street 41 feet 3 inches, on the South side

on Queen's Road Central 50 feet, on the

East side 34 feet 3 inches, and on the West

side 44 feet.

Together with the 3 HOUSES in Queen's Road

Central Nos. 233, 235, 237 and on Jervois

Street Nos. 58, 60, and 62. Held for 999

Years from the 3rd June, 1846. Yearly

Crown Rent 8/-

For Further Particulars and Conditions of

Sale, apply to

J. M. GUEDES,  
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, 30th December, 1882.

## Notices of Firms.

### NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

I HAVE THIS Day Resumed my Duties, as

SECRETARY to the Company.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, 3rd January, 1883.

### NOTICE.

WE have This Day Admitted Mr. SIMEON

ABRAHAM NATHAN, a PARTNER in

Our Firm in Hongkong and China.

E. D. SASSOON & Co.  
Hongkong, 1st January, 1883.

### NOTICE.

I have THIS DAY PURCHASED under a

Bill of Sale, the GOODWILL, PLANT,

MACHINERY, STOCK-IN-TRADE and FIX-

TURES of the FIRM of DE SOUZA & Co.,

PRINTERS, &c., of HONGKONG; and beg to

intimate that I will carry on the BUSINESS under

the same Name.

By strict attention, First-class Workmanship,

and Moderate Charges I hope to merit the

Patronage of the Hongkong public.

F. D. GUEDES,  
Hongkong, 13th December, 1882.

## Intimations.

### WANTED.

AN ENGAGEMENT, either as BOOKKEEPER

or GENERAL ASSISTANT, by a Gentleman

who has a few hours during the day, disengaged

In case full office hours are required, arrangements

might be made with a few days notice. Good

references. Salary no object.

Apply to

F.  
Care of this Office.

Hongkong, 10th November, 1882.

### WANTED.

BY THE ADVERTISER

A SITUATION AS

OFFICE ASSISTANT OR STORE-KEEPER.

Address:—

M. E. G.

Care of Hongkong Telegraph.

Hongkong, 13th December, 1882.

### LOST.

A TRANSFER DEED with SCRIP attached

for 20 LUZON SHARES, being one of

two Transfers of the same number of Shares

signed by the Hon. F. B. JOHNSON. The

finder will oblige by returning it to the Under-

signed and the holder of the other 20 Shares by

sending them to the Company's Office for Trans-

fer to enable the numbers of the missing Shares

to be traced.

Also,

TRANSFER DEED for 10 LUZON SUGAR

SHARES in the name of Mr. C. P. CHATER.

D. NOWROJEE,  
Hongkong Hotel.  
Hongkong, 7th November, 1882.

## TO SPORTSMEN.

FOR SALE AT LESS THAN COST.

OWING TO OWNER LEAVING

THE COLONY.

I SELL RACING SADDLE

RACING WHIPS with Silver Mounts

The above, which are ALL NEW, may be

seen at the "HONGKONG TELEGRAPH"

OFFICE and will be sold at BARGAIN.

Hongkong, 2nd November, 1882.

## Intimations.

XMAS AND NEW YEAR PRESENTS.

1882-1883.

NOVELTIES FOR AUTUMN AND WINTER.

ROSE & CO.

ARE NOW SHOWING THEIR NOVELTIES FOR

THE SEASON.

BARBOTINE WARE.

ELEGANTLY DESIGNED CLOCKS.

VASES, JARDINERS, LANDSCAPE PAINTED PLATES.

TOILET SETS, &c.

PLUSH GOODS IN GREAT VARIETY.

NECESSAIRES, WORK BOXES.

CABINETS, PHOTO FRAMES, MIRRORS.

WALL AND CORNER BRACKETS AND WATCH STANDS.

TABLE COVERS, GLOVE AND HANDKERCHIEF BOXES.

&c., &c., &c.

GRAPHOSCOPES, OLIVE WOOD WARE, BAGS AND BASKETS.

BEADED BED SETS, BRACKET BEAD WORK AND BANNER SCREENS.

LETTER AND CARD CASES, BRONZES.

PERFUME SATCHETS, ALBUMS.

NOVELTIES IN ELECTRO PLATED WARE.

THE MACKINNON PEN.

OLEOGRAPHS, PRINTS.

BROOCHES, EARRINGS.

NECKLACES, STUDS, SOLITAIRE.

SCARF-PINS AND RINGS.

A LARGE AND SELECT ASSORTMENT OF TOYS.

SKIN ROCKING HORSES.

MECHANICAL TOYS.

MUSICAL TOYS.

DOLLS IN GREAT VARIETY, FRENCH AND ENGLISH.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR CARDS.

NON BON COSAQUES and CONFECTIONERY.

WOOL WORK SLIPPERS, CUSHIONS, OTTOMAN COVERS, &c.

LADIES' SUPERIOR FRENCH KID GLOVES 2, 4, 6, 8, 12 BUTTONS.

GENTS' 2 BUTTON KID GLOVES \$1. PER PAIR.

PARISIAN MANTLES, SEALSKIN MANTLES, CAPES, and MANTLE TRIMMING.

CHRISTY'S FELT HATS, HOSIERY.

NOVELTIES IN GENTLEMEN'S SHIRTS.

STATIONERY AND PERFUMERY.

LOCKYEAR'S HAIR RESTORER.

FRENCH POLISH FOR BOOTS.

COATINGS, TROWSERINGS, SUITINGS, and ULSTER CLOTHS.

TRAVELLING TRUNKS AND BAGS.

MUSIC, GIFT BOOKS, TOY BOOKS, &c.

A FIRST CLASS MAGIC LANTERN AND SLIDES FOR LOAN ON HIRE.

OUR DRESSMAKING and MILLINERY DEPARTMENTS ARE UNDER

GOOD MANAGEMENT; TERMS MODERATE.

A LIBERAL DISCOUNT FOR PROMPT CASH PAYMENT.

ROSE & CO.,

31 & 33, QUEEN'S ROAD—HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 7th December, 1882.

## "NOVELTY STORE"

MARINE HOUSE, QUEEN'S ROAD.

NOW SHOWING A LARGE AND SELECT ASSORTMENT

OF

TOYS AND NOVELTIES

IN

ENGLISH, FRENCH, AND AMERICAN GOODS,

VERY SUITABLE FOR

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS.

ALSO

Just Opened

NEW NOVELS IN ENGLISH AND FRENCH,

BOOKS OF REFERENCE IN ENGLISH AND FRENCH,

RELIGIOUS WORKS IN ELEGANTLY BOUND COVERS,

PICKWICK PAPERS,

A VARIETY OF CHEAP NOVELS.

ALL QUITE NEW AND OFFERED AT MODERATE PRICES.

S. MEYERS,

Manager.

Hongkong, 6th December, 1882.

SAYLE & CO.'S SHOWROOMS.

## SAYLE & CO.

WE ARE NOW SHEWING EX "RECENT ARRIVALS."

ALL WOOL SCOTCH PLAIDS, AT 45 CENTS PER YARD.

LADIES FUR-LINED COATS from \$12 to \$40 EACH.

CLOTH AND MOTALASSE DOLMANS, MANTLES, AND JACKETS,

IN NEWEST SHAPES.

NOVELTIES DIRECT FROM PARIS IN

MOIRE, BROCHE, OTTOMAN, and SURAT DRESS SILKS.

LADIES SILK and SPUN SILK HOSE IN EVERY COLOUR.

KID GLOVES. - 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 BUTTONS.

NOVELTIES IN CORSET LACE, and CLASP-KID GLOVES.

INFANTS', CHILDRENS' and LADIES' BOOTS and SHOES IN EVERY SIZE.

&c., &c., &c., &c., &c.

A LIBERAL DISCOUNT FOR CASH.

SAYLE & CO.,

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1882.

## W. BREWER

IS NOW SHOWING A LARGE CONSIGNMENT

OF

VERY CHOICE

FINE ART GOODS,

CONSISTING OF

PANEL PICTURES OF SCOTCH SCENERY IN OILS.

LARGE OIL COLOURS IN MASSIVE FRAMES.

FINELY FINISHED AND RETOUCHE.

OLEOGRAPHS, ORIGINAL ENGRAVINGS,

&c., &c., &c.

PRICES VERY MODERATE.

W. BREWER,

QUEEN'S ROAD.



## Intimations.

A. S. WATSON & CO.  
INVITE INSPECTION OF A WELL  
SELECTED STOCK OF  
FANCY CHRISTMAS  
GOODS.

COMPRISING—  
CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR CARDS  
IN GREAT VARIETY.

SWEETS AND CONFECTIONERY.

FANCY SATIN COVERED BOXES.

CUT GLASS TOILET BOTTLES.

CHRISTMAS CARD ALBUMS.

IVORY BACK HAIR BRUSHES.

SCIENTIFIC TOYS.

ATKINSON'S, HENDRIE'S, AND LUBIN'S  
PERFUMES.

&c., &c., &c.

A. S. WATSON & CO.,  
CHEMISTS, DRUGGISTS  
AND  
PERFUMERS.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

ESTABLISHED 1841.

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## The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1883.

## TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, January 2nd.

THE NEW UNDER-SECRETARY FOR  
FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

Lord Edmund Fitzmaurice has been appointed  
Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs.

FUNERAL OF M. GAMBETTA.

The expense of M. Gambetta's funeral will be  
borne by the State.

GAMBETTA'S DEATH CONSIDERED AS  
A GUARANTEE OF PEACE BY THE  
GERMAN "PRESS."

German opinions consider M. Gambetta's  
death a guarantee of peace.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE Bishop of Acathia, the right Rev. Father  
Raimondi, vicar apostolic of this diocese, arrived  
from San Francisco by the City of Tokio this  
morning.

We hear from Swatow that Captain Cocker  
arrived at that port at Christmas, and assumed the  
command of the revenue cruiser *Ling Feng*, vice  
Captain Farrow who has gone north.

CHUN CUM SING, an unemployed seaman,  
charged before Mr. Woodhouse this morning  
with attempting to steal three jackets, valued at  
\$1.50, was relegated to the "jug" for three  
months' steady employment at the usual rate of  
remuneration paid by a liberal Government to  
those hard labor inmates.

CHOI ALANG, a carpenter, charged with stealing  
thirteen of copper nails from the British barque  
*Helen* at Aberdeen on the 3rd instant, said he  
was not the man who did the deed. The evidence  
of Cornelius Daniels, a watchman at the  
Aberdeen docks, went to show that Choi was the  
boner of the nails, and Mr. Woodhouse consigned  
the carpenter to Hayward's reformat for a month's  
hard labour.

News from Korea, says the *Japan Mail*, is to  
the effect that the Minister for Foreign Affairs,  
a nominee of the Tai-on-Kun, has been con-  
demned to exile by the Chinese Government, for  
having falsely announced the death of the Queen  
and invested a corpse with her garments on the  
occasion of the late rebellion, and also for having  
failed to show Her Majesty proper respect when  
she subsequently returned from hiding. The  
people are said to be satisfied with his punish-  
ment. Probably they would have been equally  
satisfied with his acquittal. What the public  
has seen of their conduct does not convey the  
impression that they are very single-hearted.  
In Japan, they cannot sufficiently praise the Ja-  
panese and abuse the Chinese, but in China their  
sentiments are exactly reversed.

WE wonder on what grounds the accomplished  
"Banian," whose universal knowledge is really  
astounding, ventures to predict that the Choral  
Society will not be able to represent the "Ancient  
Mariner" this season! This aesthetic twaddler  
certainly pays the members of the Choral Society  
a very poor compliment in thus questioning their  
ability to represent a popular work which really  
presents few musical difficulties. It can hardly  
be agreeable to Mr. Piron, the very able and  
energetic conductor of the Society, to have his  
labors frustrated, and cold water thrown on his  
hopes, by an ignorant, noxious, who is evidently  
a disappointed member of the chorus. How-  
ever, Mr. Piron need not alarm himself at this  
person's impertinence. "Banian" may know  
a vast deal about "Buckets" and "Disk-bins,"  
and possibly may be the fascinating lady-killer  
and universal genius he claims to be; but it is  
positively certain that he knows nothing at all  
about music, and still less is it possible  
about the prospects or intentions of the Hong-  
kong Choral Society.

WE would remind our readers that the enter-  
tainment organized for the relief of the great dis-  
tress at present existing amongst the poorer  
classes in the Philippines will take place at the  
Theatre Royal, City Hall, this evening. It gives  
us great pleasure to announce that nearly the  
whole of the seats have been engaged, so that  
the financial success of this most praiseworthy  
undertaking is already assured. We hear that  
Messrs. Smith's comedietta, "Uncle's Will" has  
gone capitally in rehearsal—as it could scarcely  
fail to do with such an accomplished Florence  
Matigold—and is likely to prove a brilliant suc-  
cess. The musical portion of the programme,  
with such talent as the celebrated Sting Band  
of the Buifs and the German Liedertafel, should  
also materially aid in attracting a large audience.

LAU AFAT, a carpenter, charged with stealing  
a brass lock, informed Mr. Woodhouse this morn-  
ing that he wished to purchase the lock found  
on his person, and that he had no intention of  
stealing the same. The hawk who is proprietor  
of the lock in question stated that prisoner  
came up to his stall yesterday and collared the  
"Brahmin" without as much as saying, by your  
leave, and attempted to make off with it. This  
did not suit the hawk's book, so he accordingly  
laid hands on the would-be lock lifter and received  
for so doing a left-hander on the *os frontis* which  
rather upset his eyesight. Prisoner ran off and  
fell foul of a constable who ran him up to the  
Central Station. As Mr. Woodhouse does not  
approve of this eccentric method of making pur-  
chases, he sent Lau Afat to four weeks' imprison-  
ment with hard labor.

AN inquiry into the cause which led to the  
death of the late Captain E. Lee of the  
steamship *Yangtze*, was formally opened by  
the Coroner, Mr. H. E. Woodhouse, at the Magis-  
tracy at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Messrs. W. L.  
Scott, W. Schmidt, and V. Carvalho were  
sworn in as a jury, and the court was then  
adjourned, in order to allow the jury to visit  
the Happy Valley to view the body of the  
deceased, which had been exhumed for the pur-  
pose. The Coroner, jury and witnesses accord-  
ingly met at the Happy Valley at 3 o'clock, and  
after viewing the body an adjournment was made  
to the Magistracy where the inquiry is now pro-  
ceeding. Owing to our early hour of going to  
press we are unable to give the full report, and  
as the matter appears to be assuming a serious  
character, we reserve our comments and will  
publish a detailed account in our next issue.

## SUPREME COURT.

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

The following judgment was delivered this  
morning by His Lordship, Chief Justice Sir George  
Phillipps, *in re*—Sands and another *v.* W. H.  
Forbes.

This cause came on before me for hearing on  
further consideration on the Registrar's Certificate  
as to the present state of the suit.

It appears from the certificate that all the  
questions in the suit, as far as the defendant is  
concerned, are settled with the exception of the  
realization of certain property in Macao and  
which is in process of realization. When that  
matter is settled, and the accounts passed, Mr.  
Forbes will, so far as this Court is concerned,  
have no further interest in the suit.

The question of costs, as far as Mr. Forbes is  
concerned, seems to have been already disposed  
of, and the only costs outstanding are the costs  
incurred by him since March last. There has  
been no reasonable inquiry why Mr. Forbes should  
not be paid these costs out of the fund in Court.

By the Registrar's certificate there appears to  
be two Trust funds outstanding, of which the  
Testator in this suit was Trustee. The amounts  
to which each of these Trust estates are entitled  
should be ascertained by the Registrar and paid  
into separate accounts to the credit of each sepa-  
rate Trust estate, and the interest arising there-  
from be accumulated until a further order of the  
Court.

There also appears to be certain Shares in public  
companies of limited liability which have been  
deposited in Court. As these Shares are not  
such investments as the Court can sanction the  
realization of these Shares as opportunity  
offers, especially as such sale would be in  
accordance with the Testator's will, and the pro-  
ceeds must be placed to the credit of the suit and  
invested.

Mr. Francis, as counsel for the defendant, called  
my attention to the fact of furniture valued at  
\$5,670 which was directed by the will of the  
Testator to be sold being still unsold and in the  
possession of Mrs. Sands. He also called my  
attention to the great desirability in the interests  
of those entitled in remainder to an account  
being taken as to what portion of the money  
paid into Court consisted of capital, and as to the  
amounts paid to Mrs. Sands from time to time  
as interest. He also desired an enquiry as to  
what amount (if any) of the costs incurred in  
this suit should be charged to income and what  
to capital.

In my opinion, however, although in the in-  
terests of all parties I think it highly desirable  
that these matters should be settled, I have not  
the necessary parties before me to direct a refer-  
ence to the questions referred to. The suit was  
brought by Mrs. Sands on her own account and  
as guardian and next friend of her daughter  
against Mr. Forbes her co-executor for winding  
up her late husband's estate. The questions  
referred to by Mr. Francis are matters in which  
Mr. Forbes has no interest, and are indeed  
questions between the tenant for life and those  
in remainder. Mrs. Sands appearing in the suit  
as the guardian and next friend of her daughter  
who is present the party entitled in remainder.  
Mrs. Sands does not choose, as she might, to  
bring the matter forward before the Court for de-  
cision. Mrs. Sands is not yet of an age to give her  
consent to anything or to instruct any one in her  
own behalf, and no one has applied to me to pro-  
tect the interest of Mrs. Sands by becoming her  
next friend in lieu of her mother in taking the  
account. The matter referred to by Mr. Francis  
must therefore stand over for the present. It  
might have stopped payment of all interest  
until the capital sum was ascertained, and  
probably would have done so, if the  
fund in Court were small, but the amount in  
Court is so large I do not think it  
necessary to resort to this step in order to com-  
pel Mrs. Sands to have the accounts taken  
against her will. The directions I shall give  
will be that the Registrar shall estimate the  
amount of all possible claims against the income  
and carry it to an account to be entitled  
Suspense Account, and accumulate the interest  
on such account until the accounts, as between  
capital and interest, are taken on the further  
order of the Court.

The amount in Court after payment of all  
claims must in the absence of any application

on the part of the Tenant for life for a more  
profitable investment and with the assent of counsel  
on her behalf, be placed on deposit by the Registrar  
at 5 per cent. in one of the Banks approved  
by the Court and the proceeds of all moneys  
invested, with the exception of the money hereby  
diverted, be carried to Suspense Account, will  
be from time to time paid to Mrs. Sands.

The costs incurred by Mrs. Sands since March  
last will be paid by the Registrar out of any  
moneys in his hands in the same manner as her  
costs have hitherto been paid.

## COURT OF VICE-ADMIRALTY.

THE "YORKSHIRE" SALVAGE CASE.

*In re*—Samuel Ashton *v.* steamer *Yorkshire*.

The following judgments in the above cases  
were delivered to-day by His Lordship, Chief  
Justice Sir George Phillipps:—

These cases were cases in which salvage was  
claimed by the steamers *Douglas* and *Hallong*  
for going to the assistance of the steamship  
*Yorkshire* in the 1st of December, when she had  
grounded, and assisting her to get off.

The *Douglas* is a steamer of 982 tons, and is  
of the value of £40,000.

The *Hallong* is a steamer of 277 1/2 tons, and  
of the value of £12,000.

Both these steamers belong to a regular line of  
passenger and cargo steamers and to the same  
proprietors, and were on their regular trips re-  
spectively when they went to the assistance of the  
*Yorkshire*.

The cases were heard separately but by agree-  
ment of the parties and the aid of the Court, the  
*Douglas v. the Yorkshire* was admitted so far  
as applicable to the case of the *Hallong v. the*  
*Yorkshire*.

The *Yorkshire* is a steamer of 1,425 tons, and  
it is admitted that her value, together with  
the value of the cargo and freight which the *Douglas*  
assisted in saving, amounted to £75,937, and  
that her value together with the value of the  
cargo and freight which the *Hallong* assisted  
in saving amounted to £102,494. This amount  
of £102,494, including the £75,937, which is ad-  
mitted, the *Douglas* assisted in saving.

It was not disputed that the assistance which  
was given by the *Douglas* and the *Hallong*  
entitled both vessels to salvage remuneration,  
and the only question that was in dispute was  
as to the nature of the services rendered and the  
amount to be awarded.

On the part of the *Douglas* and the *Hallong*  
it was contended that the services were highly  
meritorious and entitled the salvors to a high  
rate of remuneration.

On the part of the *Yorkshire* it was contended  
that the services rendered were ordinary ser-  
vices, and that a comparatively small sum would  
be a sufficient remuneration to the owners of the  
vessels for the use that was made of them by  
the *Yorkshire*, and for the exertions of the  
masters and crews.

On a reference to the Registrar and Mer-  
chants they have reported that the expenses  
incurred by the owners of the *Douglas*, together  
with the estimated amount of profits at 20 per  
cent. on her value, which she ought to have  
earned during the five days that they considered  
she was employed in the salvage operations  
amounted to \$2,718.81, and that the expenses  
incurred by the owners of the *Hallong*, together  
with the estimated amount of profits which she  
ought to have earned, at 20 per cent. on her  
value, during the five days that they considered  
she was employed amounted to \$897.06, and  
this Report not having been objected to must  
now be taken as correct.

The owners of the *Douglas* and the *Hallong*  
are certainly entitled to a refund of the  
amount, and the question for my decision is as  
to how much more ought to be awarded to each  
of these vessels for their exertions.

The *Douglas* was, as compared with the  
*Hallong*, a powerful steamer. She was inter-  
rupted on her voyage to Foochow, and remained  
for nine days assisting the *Yorkshire*.

Her Master took some responsibility on him-  
self in so doing. He gave valuable advice and  
assistance to the *Yorkshire* and in so doing ex-  
posed his vessel, in my opinion, to risks that I do  
not think would have been incurred by any  
prudent man without some adequate object in  
view such as saving valuable property.

It is important to encourage assistance to ves-  
sels in distress such as the *Yorkshire* was in by  
steamers of the class of the *Douglas*, and I think,  
taking all the circumstances of the case into  
consideration, that the *Douglas* is entitled to  
liberal remuneration. At the same time, con-  
sidering the risks to which all vessels at sea are  
exposed, it is to the interests of all shipowners,  
including the owners of the *Douglas*, that salvage  
remuneration should not be too high.

I have therefore fixed the amount in the case  
of the *Douglas* at £3,250, which I consider a  
fair and reasonable remuneration to all con-  
cerned.

The *Hallong* was exposed to no appreciable  
risk, but she certainly assisted the *Yorkshire*  
greatly by removing so large a portion of her  
cargo. She also assisted the *Yorkshire* in other  
ways besides removing her cargo. She was em-  
ployed for five days during the service and I have  
fixed her remuneration at £1,200.

These amounts of £3,250, and £1,200, are to  
include all expenses and the salvors in each case  
will obtain their costs.

## AMOF.

We learn that an armed force of sailors and  
marines of about 300 strong, from H. I. German  
frigates *Stoich* and *Elisabeth*, landed this  
morning (December 30th) at one of the Lekin  
stations in Amoy and seized the iron piers be-  
longing to Messrs. C. Gerard & Co. detained by  
the Lekin authorities.

We believe that the iron foundry of Messrs.  
C. Gerard & Co. is being guarded by an armed  
force of about 300 marines and an officer.

The bund at Amoy is thronged by great num-  
bers of Chinese, which is rather an unusual oc-  
currence.

HORRIBLE MURDER IN AMOF.

On the morning of the 27th December a Chi-  
nese sailor named Ah Lin was murdered by his  
wife in a most horrible manner.

It appears that the wife of the murdered man  
did not like her husband and during his frequent  
absences at sea, she used to admit a number of  
lovers at various times. On the evening of the  
26th the murdered man left his house to join his  
vessel. Suspecting the fidelity of his wife he  
returned home between the hours of 2 and 3 in  
the morning, and found his wife in bed with one  
of her lovers, who quickly made his escape. The  
wife eventually appeared her husband's wrath,  
and supplying him with plenty of bamboo made  
him dance, and she then took a large knife and  
poured a lot over him; then set fire to the  
bed and made her escape. The man was  
rescued by his neighbours after having been  
horribly burnt; he rallied a little, but succumbed  
to his injuries yesterday forenoon. The murderers  
was caught yesterday and taken to the Halling's  
yamen, where she will be tried, and, if found  
guilty, probably the second act of the horrible  
tragedy will take place. According to Chinese  
custom, the wife of a murdered man is to be  
killed alive, the punishment sometimes lasting  
two or three days, as the executioners are very  
careful not to touch a vital part.—*Gazette*.

## FOOCHOW.

We understand that colder weather than that  
of Thursday last, has not been experienced for  
many years in Foochow. Fahrenheit's ther-  
mometer, hanging in an office in which there  
was a fire, registered as low as forty-five degrees.  
The present splendid weather for the shilling  
season, and the pleasantness of game, having  
tempted a large portion of the community up-  
country, has rendered Foochow unusually dull  
this Christmas. We hope the sportsmen may  
return not only with good "bags," but fully in-  
vigorated for the commencement of the New  
Year, with the sincerely wish may prove  
happy and prosperous one to the whole com-  
munity.

Recently there have been far fewer fires to  
report as occurring in Foochow than usual,  
which fact rather endorses the views of the  
Chinese authorities, and they consider illustrates  
the policy they adopted in restricting the sale of  
kerosene oil. On Saturday evening last, how-  
ever, a most destructive fire broke out close to  
the quarter near the Governor's Yamen, about  
one hundred and twenty houses being razed to  
the ground. The damage occasioned is estimated  
at \$15,000.

On Christmas morn the sad intelligence  
reached Foochow of a loss sustained by one whose  
name is a household word not only throughout  
China, but who (by his valuable literary work) has  
gained world-wide celebrity. Upon the lament-  
able news of Mrs. Giles' death being circulated,  
the flags of the various Consulates, and at  
Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co.'s, were at once  
hoisted half-mast high; and a gloom seemed  
cast over the most joyous morn of the year.  
The deceased, who was 37 years of age, leaves  
the large family of six children. The mortal  
remains of the deceased were interred, in the  
Cemetery at Pagoda Anchorage.—*Herald*.

## NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The Pacific Mail Company's steamer *City of*  
*Tokio*, Captain Maury, with the American mails  
of the 5th ulto., arrived in harbour early this  
morning.—We take the subjoined telegraphic  
items from our San Francisco files:—

LONDON, November 27th.

In Parliament to-day Trevelyan said the con-  
flict between the Dublin police and organized  
lawlessness seemed to have been inaugurated.  
The Government are determined to use all the  
resources at their disposal to put down the latest  
developments of disorder.

A train on the North Scotland Railway coming  
from McDuff at 4 o'clock this afternoon fell  
through a bridge at Eyvie. Five persons were  
killed and many injured. The engine had passed  
in safety. All the carriages were wrecked.

Cleveland Hall, the residence of Sir Arthur  
Elton, near Bristol, has been destroyed by fire.

A portion of the library, considered to be one of  
the most valuable in England, was burned.

The steamer *Cambrian*, belonging to Nantes,  
was sunk by a collision in the British channel  
to-day. Fourteen persons were drowned.

DUBLIN, November 27th.

Archbishop MacCabe, in speaking at Harold  
Cross yesterday, denounced the murder of De-  
fective Cox in the strongest terms. He asked  
the people to use their influence to drive away  
secret societies. The wrongdoers of last night,  
he said, were abroad for deadlier and more  
fiendish work, but their intentions were frustrated  
by the vigilance of the police.

Dennis Field, a juror in the case of Hynes,  
recently hanged for the murder of a herder named  
Dorothy, was met in Frederick street on his  
way home to-day by a car containing two men,  
one of whom jumped off and stabbed Field in  
several places with a sword. Field's assailants  
drove off in the direction of Drumcondra. Field  
is still alive, but his condition is precarious. He  
says he was stabbed in the arms and chest with  
a sword-cane. He seized the weapon and broke  
it. The men then knocked him down and  
wounded him in the back, after which they  
jumped on the car and told the driver to "drive  
quick, for heaven's sake." Field complains that  
several people saw him as he lay on the ground,  
but did not offer to assist. He staggered to a  
house, kicked against the door, and on being  
admitted sank into a chair. He had washed away  
the blood from his wounds by the time the doctors  
arrived.

An additional military guard has been placed  
at Dublin Castle.

A mob to-night attacked Jervis-street Hospital,  
where Dolan, who shot and killed Detective  
Cox, lies, with the object, it is believed, of re-  
moving him. The mob shouted and yelled and  
broke to break open the doors. The inmates  
were a great state of alarm. The police were  
telegraphed for and a large force arrived on the  
ground at 10 o'clock, armed with swords and  
batons, when the mob scattered, lurking, how-  
ever, in the vicinity. The police are now pa-  
trolling the neighborhood and guarding the hospi-  
tal.

Only two of the five additional persons arrested  
to-day in connection with the murder of Detective  
Cox were detained in custody. Woodward,  
one of the supposed accomplices, lived some-  
time in the United States. Seven judges, who  
had been dining in Mount Joy square, passed  
the place where the murderers of Detective Cox  
had been loitering a few minutes after the affray  
happened. It is thought the murderers were  
lying in wait for them.

PARIS, November 27th.

Two thousand members of French trades  
unions assembled yesterday and extended a  
greeting to twelve delegates from the English  
unions, who came to Paris to represent the views  
of the latter bodies in favor of the completion of  
the Channel tunnel.

A bill has been distributed in the Deputies,  
containing among the signatures those of Gam-  
betta and Paul Bert, giving all persons the right  
to leave testamentary instructions as to whether  
their bodies shall be buried or cremated.

Bonnet Deneville, a well-known Radical De-  
puty from Lyons, is dead.

While handling a revolver to-day, Gambetta  
shot himself in the hand.

Julius Guesde, editor of the *Egalite*, has been  
arrested in connection with the socialist move-  
ment.

The Jewish synagogue here was robbed yester-  
day of articles valued at 10,000 francs.

The Rhine is still rising and the rain continues.  
Communication by railroad is becoming more  
and more difficult.

WIEN, November 27th.

The Neckar, Main and Moselle rivers are  
bringing down great bodies of water at Frankfurt,  
Mayence, Coblenz and Cologne. The cellars  
on the streets on the water fronts are submerged.  
The boat bridge at Mayence and Cologne have  
been secured with double anchors. The Main  
valley forms a great lake.

VIENNA, November 27th.

The Elbe valley is flooded and two villages  
near Elms are submerged.

CONSTANTINOPLE, November 27th.

Asyem Pasha has been appointed Minister of  
Foreign Affairs in the place of Said Pasha.

Turkey refuses to recognize the cession of  
Massowah or any territory on the Red Sea to any  
Power.

Dervish Pasha has been released.

VIENNA, November 27th.

Fuad Pasha and Keamill Pasha have been ar-  
rested at Constantinople. The former was lately  
intrusted with a special mission to Vienna.

MADRID, November 27th.

Twenty-five hundred persons assembled at the  
Alhambra Theatre to-day to inaugurate an agita-  
tion throughout the country in favour of free  
trade.

ST. PETERSBURG, November 27th.

Of the students engaged in the recent demon-  
strations 180 have been arrested. Troops fired  
into a crowd of Kasan University students, killing  
three.

BERLIN, November 27th.

Bismarck has rejected the preliminary draft  
prepared by the Minister of Finance of a bill  
abolishing the four lowest grades of class taxes,  
and has instructed the Minister to recast the  
preamble and introduction. The bill will con-  
sequently be delayed. It is believed, however,  
that the bill has no chance of final adoption.  
The National party has declined, on principle,  
the proposal to coalesce with the left wing of the  
Conservatives, and purpose forming a middle  
party in the Diet.

MONACO, November 27th.

A dynamite cartridge, which had been placed  
at the entrance of the Monte Carlo gambling  
saloon, exploded last evening, causing a great  
panic and wounding officials. An Italian was  
arrested in connection with the affair.

LONDON, November 28th.

Gladstone stated that the cost of the war in  
Egypt until October 1st was £3,500,000, includ-  
ing the expenses of the Indian contingent and  
the transportation of troops. Since the 1st Oc-  
tober the change will be borne wholly or in part  
by Egypt.

Trevelyan stated that two additional Pay  
Commissioners will be attached to each Land  
Court in Ireland, in order to relieve the block  
of business.

Gladstone maintained that the charges against  
sub-commissioners had miserably broken down.  
He defended the charges in the organization of the  
Land Commission.

Lord Randolph Churchill charged that it  
was the renewal of outrages in Ireland which  
had produced the change announced by  
Trevelyan. He concluded by asking who  
was morally the greater criminal, the man who,  
to avenge the conviction of a murderer, stabbed  
a jurymen in the street, or he who, by favoring  
political agitation, corrupted and poisoned the  
source of justice, and assassinated justice itself.  
[Cries of Oh Oh!]

Gladstone refused the appointment of a Com-  
mission to inquire into the condition of the Sky  
crofters.

DUBLIN, November 28th.

The American ship *Great Admiral*, which  
has arrived at Dublin from San Francisco, has  
been in collision with the American ship *Annie*  
*H. Smith*, which has also arrived at Dublin  
from San Francisco. The hulls of both vessels  
were damaged.

The meeting of the Privy Council to-day was  
the most protracted one ever held by that body  
since the Fenian scare in 1867. The Lord  
Lieutenant presided. It was resolved to proclaim  
the city under the operation of the Curfew Sec-  
tion of the Repression Act, which authorizes the  
police to arrest all suspicious persons found on  
the streets between an hour after sunset and an  
hour before sunrise. A proclamation was also  
agreed to, offering a reward of \$5,000 for infor-  
mation leading to the apprehension and conviction  
of Field's assassins, with the usual provisions  
of pardon and protection to informers.

In consequence of the assault upon juror Field,  
several jurors request the Government to try



were Germans, and another 8 per cent. speak both languages. The political tendency of the motion was made apparent by the satisfaction which the French press greeted its introduction. M. Falloux also opposed the motion, and added there would be, in any case, another struggle for the possession of Alsace-Lorraine whenever the increasing ferment in France came to a head.

ROME, November 30th. There was considerable excitement in the Chamber of Deputies to-day, caused by the refusal of the Radical Falloux to take the oath of allegiance. Having twice refused to comply, the President ordered him to withdraw. Falloux replied: "I have been sent here by the people, and I shall only leave under compulsion." Thereupon two officers removed him.

BERLIN, November 30th. The worst of the floods is over. The Rhine has fallen a foot and a half in the last twenty-four hours. There are six feet of water in the streets of Cologne, Coblenz and Bonn. At the last named place 160 houses are submerged, and nearly all provisions of food have been destroyed. There is much sickness in the flooded districts, especially among children and the poor.

PARIS, November 30th. The Seine continues to rise. The cellars of the Justice Hall and the Tribunal of Commerce are flooded.

THE HAGUE, November 30th. Large tracts of Holland are submerged. The river is still rising.

LONDON, December 1st. The *News* says it is believed France is preparing a specific demand on England for compensation for the lapse of the control in Egypt. In parliament to-day the Under Secretary of the Colonial Department read a telegram stating that the Cubans, Maceo's wife and sister, begged to be allowed to remain in Gibraltar, but permission had been refused.

The Commander and Navigator of the British man-of-war *Phaon*, wrecked on Prince Edward Island, have been dismissed from the service. The vessel was lost through negligent navigation. The Egyptian Government has applied to England for officers for the Egyptian army and negotiations are proceeding. Mudar Pasha, who has arrived at Cairo, has been informed that England declines to recognize or sanction his appointment as Commander-in-Chief of the Egyptian army. It is believed that a British General will be sent to Egypt to take command of the force levied by H. K. Pasha, who, not holding a commission in the British army, is not competent to assume command over British officers.

DUBLIN, December 1st. Davitt says that not being morally conscious of having broken a law, or leading others to break a law, he should remain in Ireland until Monday, when, if not arrested, he intended to proceed to the north of England to give a series of lectures. If arrested, because of his speech at Navan on the 25th ult., in which he eulogized the action of the Irish Parliamentary party, Davitt said he had decidedly determined not to enter a recognition for good behavior, but would compel the Government to prove his guilt in a court of law and take the consequences. Davitt added that he would not lecture on Sunday, as he had promised, as he was suffering from a severe cold.

VIENNA, December 1st. The river Theiss and its affluents have overflowed their banks. The Marmaros district is inundated. Several bridges have been damaged and the railway embankments broken down. The deaths on the Theiss are in great danger.

PARIS, December 1st. The Seine has risen 6.40 metres above its normal level. Houses at Nogent, Joinville, St. Maurice, and Courbevoie are being deserted through fear. Disasters from the flood in the valleys of the Rhine and Garonne are especially severe. The country between Chalons-sur-Marne and Epervan is inundated.

BERLIN, December 1st. In the Diet to-day Von Puttkamer stated that the damage by the overflow of the Rhine could not be repaired without drawing on the resources of the State. He had requested the Emperor to sanction a grant of 500,000 marks to relieve the distress in the flooded districts. The Diet will be asked for the funds as soon as the amount required has been ascertained.

ST. PETERSBURG, December 1st. It is reported that the policeman who arrested Sophie Picoffsky in 1881 has been assassinated by nihilists.

VIENNA, December 1st. A woman named Kathie, one of the twenty-six women arrested several months ago for poisoning their husbands, was hanged to-day. She confessed to murdering two husbands. Four other women have been convicted.

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MADRID, December 3rd. A meeting of a majority of the Chamber of Deputies was held to-day. Sagasta, President of the Council of Ministers, declared that the views and intentions of the Government remained unchanged. Reforms would be introduced which would include religious liberty, freedom of the press, trial by jury and civil marriage.

LONDON, December 4th. The *Daily Telegraph* says President Arthur's message to Congress will not rank with the great efforts made on similar occasions by many of his predecessors. If ever a state paper presaged the waning influence and coming downfall of a political party, it is the message delivered yesterday by a man so blind to the true interest lying ahead of him and so infirm of purpose as President Arthur.

The *Daily News* says: It seems that President Arthur has taken to heart the lesson of the late election. A passage in his message pronouncing in favor of civil service reform must be intended as an offer of reconciliation to disaffected Republicans. Referring to the financial part of the message, the *News* says: If the reduction of the national debt proceeds at last year's rate the protective tariff must fall to the ground, because there will be no means of expending the enormous surplus when the debt is effected.

The *Times* says: There is now no doubt that President Arthur, after a series of cautious tactical movements, has placed himself at the head of the stalwart party and succeeded in detaching from their Republican connection the reformers and independents who, if few in number, are among the most eminent for capacity and character.

LONDON, December 4th. The Queen opened the new Courts of Justice in London to-day, with imposing ceremonies. In passing the American Exchange to open the Courts, the Queen was saluted by four hundred Americans. Her Majesty was evidently gratified by the enthusiastic reception, and bowed her acknowledgments. The streets through which the procession moved were crowded with enthusiastic people. All the dignitaries of the realm in London were present. At the ceremonies Lord Selborne, Lord High Chancellor, was created an Earl in honor of the event. Just before handing the building over to the legal authorities there was a two-hours' search similar to that always indulged in since the Gunpowder Plot before the opening of Parliament. The Court party were in mourning in consequence of the death of the Archbishop of Canterbury.

DUBLIN, December 4th. Justice O'Brien said to-day that owing to an increase in the number of undetected offenders, trade in Dublin was gradually decaying. Those able to do so were giving up business and fleeing the city, as if it were infected with plague. The *Freeman's Journal* urges Healy and Davitt to give bail, as the imprisonment of the two in whom Ireland places the most confidence would cause great mischief.

Ten of the eighteen prisoners arrested on suspicion of firing at an agent and two policemen on Castle Island have been released. A banquet proposed to be given to Patrick Egan has been postponed in consequence of the Government's proceedings against Davitt and other members of the Irish party.

ALEXANDRIA, December 4th. A native demonstration, in honor of Arabi Pasha, took place to-day in the street where the massacre of June 11th began.

CONSTANTINOPLE, December 4th. Dervish Pasha is to be executed.

ST. PETERSBURG, December 4th. It is calculated that the embezzlements and robberies, private and official, in Russia during the year amount to 26,000,000 roubles.

LONDON, December 4th. A correspondent at Constantinople says:—The Sultan did not attend the mosque on Friday, and it has since transpired that an attempt to assassinate him was contemplated. The Sultan is completely terror-stricken and hardly dares to show himself outside of the harem.

PARIS, December 4th. A semi-official statement is published that France has resolved to uphold her treaty of 1868 with Madagascar in its entirety. England, it is said, is not protesting against the claims of France. She has only manifested a desire for information in regard to the intentions of the French Government with respect to Madagascar.

ROME, December 4th. In accordance with an opinion of the Venetian Tribunal and Council of State, the Government will refuse to surrender to Austria the two natives of Trieste arrested on a charge of being connected with the manufacture of bombs to be used for treasonable purposes.

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RESOLUTION. That each of the Existing 55,000 Shares of the Society be divided into Four Shares of \$1,250, upon each of which the sum of \$125 shall be credited as paid up.

By Order of the Board,  
DOUGLAS JONES,  
Acting Secretary.  
Hongkong.  
Dated the 21st day of December, 1882. [36]

## THEATRE ROYAL CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

THIS EVENING, THE 4TH JANUARY, 1883. UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR, HIS EXCELLENCY ADMIRAL WILLES, C.B., HIS EXCELLENCY GENERAL SARGENT, C.B., HIS EXCELLENCY ADMIRAL KOPILOFF, HIS EXCELLENCY ADMIRAL MEYER.

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By kind permission of Colonel HOBSON and the Officers of the Buffs the String Band of the Regiment will perform during the intervals.

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